

Senate Resolution 1408

By: Senator Butterworth of the 50th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Franklin County Middle School Technology Student  
2 Association; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Franklin County Middle School Technology Student Association (TSA) has  
4 earned a well-deserved reputation for excellence throughout the State of Georgia and this  
5 nation; and

6 WHEREAS, in the past 23 years, the Franklin County Middle School TSA has won the  
7 Georgia Outstanding Chapter award an incredible 19 times; and

8 WHEREAS, the chapter has earned national acclaim five times with the National  
9 Technology Student Association Chapter of Excellence Award in 1993, 1994, 1995, 1999,  
10 and 2009; and

11 WHEREAS, this amazing organization is led by Dr. David Phillips who was recognized in  
12 1994 as the National Advisor of the Year by the National TSA; and

13 WHEREAS, under Dr. Phillips's direction and guidance, the Franklin County Middle School  
14 TSA has produced two students who have served as State President of the Georgia TSA; and

15 WHEREAS, Dr. Phillips has served on the Text Book Adoption Committee for Engineering  
16 and Technology for the Georgia Department of Education and on the Georgia Performance  
17 Standards writing committee for Engineering and Technology Education; and

18 WHEREAS, this dedicated educator has conducted youth and adviser leadership classes on  
19 behalf of the Georgia TSA and has been recognized with the TSA Tommy Pitchford and Jim  
20 Coffey Inspirational Teacher Award four times; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding work of this fine  
22 organization and its numerous accomplishments be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
24 commend the Franklin County Middle School Technology Student Association on its history  
25 and tradition of excellence in the Technology Student Association program.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
27 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Franklin County Middle School  
28 Technology Student Association's advisor, Dr. David Phillips.